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Claim from exemption from arrears of Rural Property Taxes

from Sheikh Mohammad Effendi Salah; Qabilya, Tul-karm

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HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR

PALESTINE.

SUBJECT:

Claim from exemption from arrears
of Rural Property Taxes due from
Sheikh Mohammad Eff. Salali -
Qalqilya, Tul-Karm.

CONNECTED FILES

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F/Tax/7/42

- ① Mr. Fayez Nazzal, advocate _____ 23/4/42
② Ack of ① on C.S.O. 54 _____ 29/4/42 ^{15/29/4}

③ Copy of ① to A.D.C. Samaria for obs. — 25.42

④ D.L.S. _____ RT/5(3) _____ 3/5/42

⑤ Tr. Hussaini:
Ref. ④, await the obs. of the D.C.S.D. ref. ③;
or write to D.C.S.D. on at ④, p. 2. ^{15/5}

Await obs. of D.C.

P.A. in 2 weeks R.S. Hy
in Br. 29/5 15.5.

⑥ A.D.C. Samaria _____ 150-2 _____ 16/5/42

⑦ Tr. Hussaini:
? Reply to ⑥ that it has been decided ^{15/5}
considering to remit the amount of L.L. 32.912 units
in respect of accrued citrus taxes, but that
Govt. is not prepared to accede to his
other requests.

Dft. subd. pt.

23/5.

29/5.

R.S. Hy
21.5.42

⑧ D.F.S.

Ref. (1), in which connection pt. see (4) and (6)
2. The draft letter at (5a) is submitted for consideration.

⑨ F. Nazzal _____ 31.5.42 ^{24/5} ^{24.5.}

Copy to D.L.S. & D.C. Samaria 1/6

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H. Hussein 29/4

Mr. Hussein 6/5/42

H. Hussein 19/5/42

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Ms. Hussein 9

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F/Tax/7/42.

May, 1942.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated the 23rd April, 1942, on the subject of arrears of Rural Property Tax due from your client on parcel 33, block 7553, Qalqilya.

2. I am to inform you that although no notification of the alleged destruction of this has been received by the District Commissioner in respect of the above named land, it has been decided to remit from the sum due to Government an amount of LP.32.912 mils which represents taxes due on 22 dunums of citrus trees which it has been ascertained by recent inspection to have been uprooted in 1936-37.

3. As regards your other request, I am to say that Government is not prepared to intervene in favour of your client.

Copy to:- Director of Land
Settlement,
Ref. his RT/5(3)
dated 3rd May, 1942.
District Commissioner,
Samaria District,
Ref. his 150-2 dated
16th May, 1942.

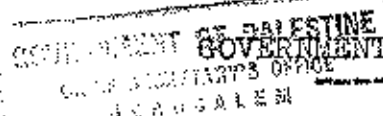
I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) R. S. HUSSEINI

CHIEF SECRETARY.

Mr. Fayed Nassal,
P.O.Box 992,
Jerusalem.

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No. 150-2



GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

DISTRICT COMMISSIONER'S OFFICES
SAMARIA DISTRICT, NABLUS

16 May, 1942

Chief Secretary

Subject:- Collection of Taxes

Reference: Your F/Tax/19/41 of 2-5-42.

7/42

1 Rural Property Tax in arrear to the value of LP.229.046 ms were owed on 43.332 dunums of citrus groves in parcel 33, block 7553 of Qalqilya lands by Sheikh Mohd., Adel and Yusef Hassan Salah, who own the land in partnership.

2. A form CT/2 was executed upon the property of Sheikh Mohd. and Adel Hassan Salah and an amount of LP.57.480 ms was realised leaving a balance due of LP.171.566 ms.

3. No notification of destruction (form RT/40) has been received in this office in respect of trees uprooted by Military Forces, but I am satisfied as a result of a recent inspection, that 22 dunoms of citrus trees were uprooted in 1936/37, and arrangements will be made to remit the value of citrus tax which has accrued upon this area since that date. The amount in question is LP.32.912 ms

4. The balance now due is therefore LP.138.654 ms (LP.171.566 ms less 32.912 ms) and arrangements are in train to recover this amount by seizure.

5. I cannot recommend exemption of any part of the amount due or that seizure be stayed.

R. Amich
ACTING DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE
IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE CHIEF DEPARTMENT OF LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. RT/5(3) JERUSALEM.
4 MAY 1942
3rd May 1942.

Chief Secretary.

Subject:- Rural Property Tax Ordinance,
Taxes due from Sheikh Mumd.
Eff. Salah.

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I refer to letter dated 23rd
April 1942 from Advocate Fayez Eff.
Nazzal addressed to you with a copy
to me.

2. Parcel No.33 of Block 7553,
Qalqiliya, Tulkarm Sub-District, still
appears in the tax records as follows:-

40.392 dunums planted in 1928
with citrus;
2.930 " planted with fruit
trees.

3. It is difficult to check at this
stage the statement of the owner that he
had in fact submitted the notification
of destruction as alleged by him but in
view of the chaotic state of the records
in the Tulkarm revenue office prior to
1942, I suggest that the benefit of the
doubt should be given to the owner pro-
vided of course he can establish to the
satisfaction of the Assistant District
Commissioner that the grove was in fact
destroyed in 1936 in which case remission
of the tax should be granted.

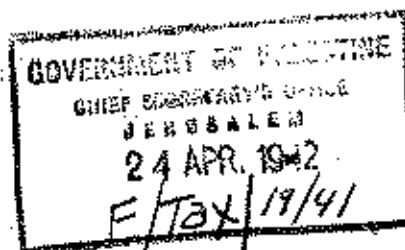
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(DIRECTOR OF LAND SETTLEMENT.

FAYEZ NAZZAL
ADVOCATE

P.O.B. 992
TEL. No. 5454



Jerusalem. 23rd April 1942

The Chief Secretary,
Government of Palestine,
Jerusalem.

Sir,

I have been instructed by my client, Sheikh Mohammed eff. Salah to write to you on the subject of certain claims made by Government for arrears in the rural property taxes due from him on a plot of land falling within the lands of Qalqilya, Tulkarm sub-district, parcel No. 33, Block No. 7553.

Up to the year 1936, this plot of land which is of a total area of about 45 dunums ^{was} planted with fruit producing citrus trees. In September 1936 the Military Authorities, apparently acting under the Emergency Regulations, uprooted the trees in more than 35 dunums, damaged the trees standing on the remaining portion of the land, blew up all the buildings and destroyed the well.

Following upon this, an application for exemption from payment of taxes was duly submitted to the District Officer at Tulkarm on a form known as S.Q.40. No reply whatsoever was received, this year my client was required to pay all the taxes in arrear, amounting to about LP.230. An objection was duly submitted to the Assistant District Commissioner at Tulkarm and the result was that certain movables of my client were attached and sold by public auction, realizing LP. 67. The water pump, used for watering the land which is now nothing more than arable land, has also been attached and certain parts have been removed therefrom thus rendering it unserviceable.

My client has apparently approached the Assistant District Commissioner on more than one occasion and has been told that the amount claimed should be paid and that thereafter the objection might be considered. The difficulty has apparently arisen out of the category of the land not having been changed at the time that

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notification was sent by my client in 1936 .

The pump is not exclusively used for watering parcel No.33 but is used for watering adjoining parcels of land owned by my client and planted with citrus trees . The stoppage of the pump, therefore, causes my client undue hardship and is wholly unjustified in the circumstances of this case.

In the light of these facts and the loss of at least LP.6000 as a result of Army operations referred to above, I shall be grateful if you will kindly consider this case and arrange for the immediate exemption of my client from the claimed taxes and the release of the water pump.

Yours faithfully,

Copy to: The Attorney General
Jerusalem.

The Director of Land
Surveys, Jerusalem.

The Assistant District
Commissioner, Tulkarm.

Fayez Nazzal
ADVOCATE

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